

August 26, 2019 7:00 P.M.

JONES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Work Session

JONES COUNTY AGRICULTURAL BUILDING, 110 MARKET STREET

TRENTON, NC 28585

MINUTES

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Mike Haddock, Chairman
Frank Emory, Vice-Chairman
Sondra Ipock-Riggs, Commissioner
James Harper, Commissione- Absent
April Aycock, Commissioner
Charlie Dunn, Jr., Commissioner
Charlie Gray, Commissioner-

OFFICIALS PRESENT:

Franky J. Howard, County Manager
Angelica Hall, Clerk
Brenda Reece, Finance Officer
Timmy Pike, EM Director
Ryan Mills, EM Coordinator

Chairperson opened the meeting and turned it over to Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager.

EM EOP Update

Jones County Emergency Management Department provided an update on the EM EOP. Mrs. Ryan Mills, EM Coordinator, went over the EOP with the Board and provided each member a flash drive that contained the entire document for their review. Ms. Mills informed the Board that after they have reviewed the EOP she would answer any questions they may have. Ms. Mills also informed the Board that they were currently watching a tropical storm and will possibly have to open a shelter due to some citizens(23 ea) still being in travel trailers from Florence.

Goldenleaf Grant

Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager, spoke with the Board about the Goldenleaf Grant award. Mr. Howard informed the Board that he was looking into the opportunity to relocate the landfill.

FEMA HMGP

Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager, informed the Board that he received the approval letter from the state and there were 31 structures approved for the expedited application approval.

Sheriff Vehicles- Enterprise Lease Option

Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager, discussed with the Board a Lease Option with Enterprise that would assist with the Sheriff Vehicles. Mr. Howard explained that this would allow the Sheriff's Office to rotate out vehicles periodically on a lease term instead of purchasing vehicles annually. Mr. Howard explained that this could be a better option for the Sheriff's Office.

Evaluation Materials

Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager, informed the Board that he contacted Ms. Peg Carlson with the School of Government to request evaluation material and to see if she could conduct a workshop for the Board.

Kinston By-Pass Update

Mr. Franky Howard, County Manager, provided an update to the Board about the Kinston By-Pass and the effect it would have on the businesses within the county if they decided to go with the current plan.

County Manager Report

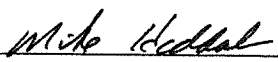
- The United Methodist recovery team is looking for housing for their volunteers.
- Interviews for the Economic Developer/Planner position will be on August 27, 2019.
- Courthouse will open on September 6, 2019.
- Facebook Live- Looking into purchasing 55" monitors for the agenda items to be viewed by everyone in the room.

Commissioner Report

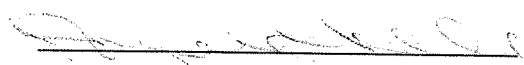
Commissioner April Aycock

- Interim Director for DSS has been named: Jessica Adams Effective Sept 1st
- DSS Director position will be posted until filled.
- Expresses concerns on the issues with drainage on Highway 17 towards Maysville. Water is draining into people's yards not drainage ditch. Requested information on alternate drainage sites.
- Pollocksville Fire Dept: Amos Andrew passed away
- Requested the County address Mr. Archinal's issues with the waterline relocation.

MOTION made by Charlie Gray, seconded by Frank Emory. and unanimously carried **THAT** the meeting be adjourned at 8:41 p.m.



Mike Haddock
Chairman



Angelica Hall
Clerk to the Board